Mr. Cunningham introduced a bill to amend the 19th sect. of the 59th chap, of the Revised Code, which passed its first reading, and on motion, was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. McKoy introduced a bill to incorporate the Fayetteville branch of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, leading from Warsaw to Fayetteville, which passed its first reading, and on motion, was referred to the committee on internal improvements.

Mr. Gorrell introduced a bill to aid in the circulation of small silver coin in this State, which passed its first reading, and on motion, was referred to the committee on education and the literary fund.

On motion by Mr. Edney, leave was granted to withdraw from the archives of the Senate, all the memorials in relation to the establishment of a new county by the name of *Ruffin*.

Mr. Edney introduced a bill to lay off and establish a new county by the name of Clingman, which passed its first reading; and, on motion, was referred to the committee on propositions and grievances.

Mr. Battle introduced a bill to lay off and establish a new county by the name of Dobbin, which passed its first reading; and, on motion, was referred to the committee on propositions and grievances.

The hour of 11 o'clock having now arrived, the Speaker announced the special order, viz: The bill to repeal the 37th section of the 61st chapter of the Revised Code.

Whereupon, on motion by Mr. Ashe, the consideration of said bill was postponed, and made the special order of the day for Wednesday next at the hour of 11 o'clock.

Mr. Bledsoe introduced a bill as to the State engineer, which passed its first reading; and, on motion, was referred to the committee on finance.

Mr. Donnell introduced a bill to discontinue the Morganton term of the Supreme Court of the State, which passed its first reading; and, on motion, was referred to the committee on the judiciary.